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SUBJECT:USNS POTOMAC OIL SPILL

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1. FOLLOWING IS LATEST SUMMARY SITREP ON SUBJECT OIL SPILL PREPARED FROM MILITARY SEALIFT COMMAND REPORTS:
QUOTE
THE COAST GUARD C-130 AIRCRAFT, EQUIPPED WITH THE AIRBORNE OIL SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM ARRIVED AT THULE AT 090000Z
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AUGUST 77 WITH THE COAST GUARD STRIKE FORCE PERSONNEL AND NAVY POLLUTION CONTROL PERSONNEL EMBARKED. THE OVERFLIGHT OF THE SPILL AREA IN ROUTE TO THULE WAS NON-PRODUCTIVE. OVERFLIGHTS WILL NOT RESUME UNTIL ABOUT 092100Z AUGUST 77, AFTER REPAIRS TO ONE OF THE AIRCRAFT ENGINES. THE COAST GUARD STRIKE FORCE AND NAVY POLLUTION CONTROL PERSONNEL ARE IN ROUTE TO THE SPILL AREA ABOARD THE COAST GUARD

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ICEBREAKER WESTWIND. THE WESTWIND'S ETA AT THE SPILL AREA
IS 091800Z AUGUST 77. VISIBILITY WAS REPORTED TO HAVE
IMPROVED.
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2. AS MSC WILL BE PROVIDING SITREPS DIRECTLY TO EMBASSY IN
FUTURE, DEPARTMENT WILL NO LONGER DO SO. CHRISTOPHER

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